

Appl. No. 10/085,323
Amdt. Dated August 18, 2004
Reply to Office Action of June 18, 2004

REMARKS

Having fully responded to the subject Office Action, Applicant hereby requests that the application be examined on the merits.

If necessary to effect a timely response, please consider this paper a request for an extension of time, and charge any shortages in fees, or apply any overpayment credits, to Baker & Daniels' Deposit Account No. 02-0387 (75825.13). However, please do not include the payment of issue fees.

Respectfully submitted,

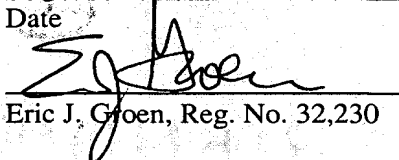


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